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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Dominique MARECHAL et al.

Title: SUSTAINED-RELEASE
MICROGRANULES
CONTAINING GINGKO
BILOBA EXTRACT AND THE
PROCESS FOR
MANUFACTURING THESE

Appl. No.: 10/574,923

International 10/11/2004
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Examiner: Heather L. ANDERSON

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous assertion of Small Entity status.

[] Assertion of Small Entity status is enclosed.

[X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

| | Claims As Amended | | Previously Paid For | | Extra Claims Present | | Rate | | Additional Claims Fee |
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| Total Claims: | 30 | - | 31 | = | 0 | x | \$50.00 | = | \$0.00 |
| Independent Claims: | 1 | - | 3 | = | 0 | x | \$210.00 | = | \$0.00 |
| First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims: | | | | | | + | \$370.00 | = | \$0.00 |
| CLAIMS FEE TOTAL | | | | | | | | | = \$0.00 |

☐ Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

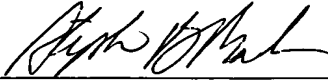
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Extension for response filed within the second month: | \$460.00 | \$0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Extension for response filed within the third month: | \$1,050.00 | \$0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Extension for response filed within the fourth month: | \$1,640.00 | \$0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Extension for response filed within the fifth month: | \$2,230.00 | \$0.00 |
| EXTENSION FEE TOTAL: | | | \$0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d): | \$130.00 | \$0.00 |
| CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE TOTAL: | | | \$0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above): | | \$0.00 |
| Extension Fees Previously Paid: | | | \$0.00 |
| TOTAL FEE: | | | \$0.00 |

If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated February 14, 2008, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this document.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 7 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: